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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2452**

PATENT
5181-64900/P4980

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/660,563	§	Examiner: Chankong, Dohm
Filed: September 12, 2000	§	Group/Art Unit: 2452
Inventor:	§	Atty. Dkt. No: 5181-64900
Gregory L. Slaughter, et al.	§	
Title: Mechanism and Apparatus		
for Accessing and		
Addressing Services in a		
Distributed Computing		
Environment		

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF AUGUST 25, 2011

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Final Office Action of August 25, 2011, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.